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CASE #(s): C-570-984

EFFECTIVE DATE: 04/10/2013 COURT CASE #:

PERIOD OF REVIEW: 01/01/2011 TO 12/31/2011

PERIOD COVERED: 01/01/2011 TO 12/31/2011

Notice of Lifting of Suspension Date:

TO: { Directors Of Field Operations, Port Directors }

FROM: { Director AD/CVD & Revenue Policy & Programs }

RE: Countervailing duty order on drawn stainless sinks from the People's Republic of China (C-570-984)

1. On 04/11/2013, Commerce published in the Federal Register its countervailing duty order on drawn stainless steel sinks from the People's Republic of China (78 FR 21596).

2. The merchandise covered by the order is drawn stainless steel sinks with single or multiple drawn bowls, with or without drain boards, whether finished or unfinished, regardless of type of finish, gauge, or grade of stainless steel. Mounting clips, fasteners, seals, and sound-deadening pads are also covered by the scope of this order if they are included within the sales price of the drawn stainless steel sinks (see Footnote 1). For purposes of this scope definition, the term "drawn" refers to a manufacturing process using metal forming technology to produce a smooth basin with seamless, smooth, and rounded corners. Drawn stainless steel sinks are available in various shapes and configurations and may be described in a number of ways including flush mount, top mount, or undermount (to indicate the attachment relative to the countertop). Stainless steel sinks with multiple drawn bowls that are joined through a welding operation to form one unit are covered by the scope of the order. Drawn stainless steel sinks are covered by the scope of the order whether or not they are sold in conjunction with non-subject accessories such as faucets (whether attached or unattached), strainers, strainer sets, rinsing baskets, bottom grids, or other accessories.

Excluded from the scope of the order are stainless steel sinks with fabricated bowls. Fabricated bowls do not have seamless corners, but rather are made by notching and bending the stainless steel, and then welding and finishing the vertical corners to form the bowls. Stainless steel sinks with fabricated bowls may sometimes be referred to as "zero radius" or "near zero radius" sinks.

The products covered by this order are currently classified in the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States ("HTSUS") under statistical reporting numbers 7324.10.0000 and 7324.10.00.10. Although the HTSUS subheadings are provided for convenience and customs purposes, the written description of the merchandise subject to the order is dispositive.

scope of this order if they are not included within the sales price of the drawn stainless steel sinks, regardless of whether they are shipped with or entered with drawn stainless steel sinks.

3. For imports of drawn stainless steel sinks from the People's Republic of China, CBP shall resume suspension of liquidation of entries of subject merchandise entered, or withdrawn from warehouse, for consumption on or after 04/10/2013 (the date on which the International Trade Commission published its final determination in the Federal Register). Effective 04/10/2013, CBP shall require a cash deposit equal to the subsidy rates in effect at the time of entry.

Manufactured and/or exported by: All Others

Case Number: C-570-984-000

Subsidy Rate: 8.51 percent

Manufactured and/or exported by: Guangdong Yingao Kitchen Utensils Co., Ltd. and Foshan Magang Kitchen Utensils Co., Ltd. (See Notes in ACE)

Case Number: C-570-984-001

Subsidy Rate: 4.80 percent

Manufactured and/or exported by: Zhongshan Superte Kitchenware Co., Ltd.

Case Number: C-570-984-002

Subsidy Rate: 12.21 percent

Manufactured by Zhongshan Superte Kitchenware Co., Ltd.

Exported by: Foshan Zhaoshun Trade Co., Ltd. (See Notes in ACE)

Case Number: C-570-984-003

Subsidy Rate: 12.26 percent

4. If there are any questions by the importing public regarding this message, please contact the Call Center for the Office of AD/CVD Operations, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce at (202) 482-0984. CBP ports should submit their inquiries through authorized CBP channels only. (This message was generated by O1: AR)

5. There are no restrictions on the release of this information.

Michael B. Walsh

Company Details

*Party Indicator Value:

I = Importer, M = Manufacturer, E = Exporter, S = Sold To Party